

State of California
Department of Parks and Recreation

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Office of Planning and Research
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FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation
Sierra District Headquarters
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PROJECT TITLE: Interpretive and Wayfinding Panels

LOCATION: Plumas Eureka and South Yuba River State Parks COUNTY: Plumas and Nevada

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: Install eight interpretive and wayfinding panels at Plumas Eureka and South Yuba River State Parks to provide location, direction and understanding of cultural resources to park visitors. Work will require excavation of up to twelve 6"-8" diameter x 2' deep holes, filling holes with concrete, placing post frames in holes and attaching panels to posts. Sign locations will be as follows:

- South Yuba River State Park:
 - At the restored Bridgeport Shell Gas Station Building: install one 40" W x 32" H x 1/8" panel; attach to a low profile angled double posts located to the left side of the facility; angle towards the gas station.
 - At the Historic Covered Bridge: replace toll panels with one 29" W x 30" H x 1/2" panel at both ends of the bridge located on the left side and approximately 1' from the bridge; attach each sign on single post pedestal with 19" W x 29" H back plate.
 - At the main parking lot near the Covered Bridge: replace the existing panel with a 40" W x 32" H x 1/8" panel; attach to a low profile angled double posts.
 - At the Independence Trailhead: replace existing panel with a 40" W x 32" H x 1/8" panel; mount on kiosk with bolts.
- Plumas Eureka State Park:
 - At the Eureka Peak Loop Trailhead near Eureka Lake and at both ends of the Museum Trailhead located near the Museum and in Upper Jamison Creek Campground: install one 40" W x 32" H x 3/4" panel at each site; attach panels to low profile angled double posts.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Sierra District

EXEMPT STATUS:

Categorical Exemption Class: 3, 4 Section: 15303, 15304

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists of construction and location of limited numbers of new, small structures and minor public alterations in the condition of land which do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees except for forestry purposes; included as "interpretive panels and signs" in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities, in accordance with CCRS 15300.4.

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